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Applicant(s): Cobbley et al.) Group Art Unit: 1714
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For: ADHESIVE COMPOSITION FOR USE IN PACKAGING APPLICATIONS

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed November 20, 2002, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

In the Claims

Please amend claims 15, 18-19, and 21. Please cancel claim 17 without prejudice. The amended claims are provided below in clean form. Per 37 C.F.R. §1.121, amended claims are also shown in Appendix A with notations to indicate changes made (for convenience, all pending claims, including those added hereby, are provided in Appendix A).

15.(AMENDED) An instant setting adhesive composition comprising:

an adhesive component selected from the group of a cyanoacrylate adhesive, an anaerobic acrylic adhesive, and mixtures thereof, wherein the cyanoacrylic adhesive component comprises a monomer of the formula:

